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Title : CIRCUIT DEVICE AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURE THEREOF

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NOTICE OF APPEAL

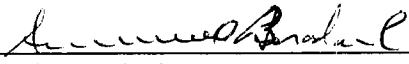
Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the action dated November 21, 2006, finally rejecting claims 1-7.

A petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR §1.136 to extend the time to respond to the final rejection for 3 month(s) to and including May 21, 2007 is enclosed.

Please apply the required appeal fee of \$500 to Deposit Account No. 06-1050. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

Respectfully submitted,

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